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AMENDMENT C

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 26, 2006, please consider the following amendments and/or remarks believed to place the claims in condition for allowance.